



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05225.0633

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Norio TAKAHASHI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2834  
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Application No.: 09/863,402 ) Examiner: Heba Elkassabgi  
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Filed: May 24, 2001 )  
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For: PERMANENT MAGNET )  
RELUCTANCE MOTOR WITH )  
EMBEDDED PERMANENT )  
MAGNET HOLES )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

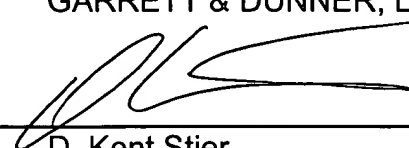
Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of December 5, 2003. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 16, 2004

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